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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION

Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed February 1, 2012, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-12, 14-15, 17-18, and 20-27, without traverse.

Pursuant to MPEP §821.04, Applicant reserves the right to amend the non-elected claims during prosecution to require the limitations of the elected invention, if necessary, to retain the right to rejoiner. Applicant reserves the right to prosecute in one or more divisional applications whatever subject matter is not examined or allowed here.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants submit that the instant application is in condition for allowance. Early and favorable action is earnestly solicited. In the event that there are any fees due and owing or refundable in connection with this matter, please charge/credit same to our Deposit Account No. 11-0223.

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